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Dear Orio:

I trust you have talked to Luca since writing your letter, and that you have a more positive view about the prospects of coming here during this year. We have not yet had final word from Herman Lewis, but every indication is that we will be able to proceed with our exchange program.

I will be in touch with you again very soon.

Sincerely yours,

Joshua Lederberg
Professor of Genetics

P.S. Do you remember Marguerite Kirsch?

A great deal has passed since you were here. Anyhow, any rumors you might now hear (or invent) are probably true-- at least if they are happy and constructive. We will be making a public announcement within a couple of weeks.